(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) to (e) City courts in the Capital city of Delhi have already been computerised under the scheme of computerisation of city courts in the four metropolitan cities of Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai and Kolkata which was implemented by the National Informatics Centre (NIC). Funds for the project were released to NIC over a period of two years, 2001-2003.

A scheme for computerization of courts in the country on the basis of the **National Policy and Action Plan recommended by the E-Committee,** for being implemented in three phases over a period of 5 years at an estimated cost of **Rs.854 crores** (entirely central assistance), is under consideration.

Recommendations of National Commission to review the Working of Constitution

2011. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:
SHRI HARISH RAWAT:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have finalized its view on the recommendations of the National Commission to review the working of the Constitution;

(b) if so, the recommendations which have been accepted and the steps being taken to implement such recommendations; and

(c) the recommendations which have not been accepted and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Pending cases in Andhra Pradesh High Court

2012. SHRI GIREESH KUMAR SANGHI: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of pending cases in Andhra Pradesh High Court as on date; and

(b) the efforts being made/already made till now to dispose of the cases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) As per available information, 2,37,672 cases are pending in the High Court of Andhra Pradesh as on 30th June 2006.

(b) Disposal of cases pending in High Courts is a cause of concern both for the Government and Judiciary. In order to clear the pending cases in various courts, the Government has initiated a number of measures which include, timely filling up of the vacancies of judges, increasing the judge strength, grouping of cases, involving common questions of law, constitution of specialized benches, organizing Lok Adalats at regular intervals encouraging alternative modes of dispute resolution like negotiation, mediation and arbitration, and setting up of special courts, Family Courts and Labour courts.

Construction of court buildings and residential quarters in Maharashtra

2013. SHRI SANJAY RAUT: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Maharashtra has submitted the proposal for getting financial assistance under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for the development of infrastructural facilities like construction of Court buildings and residential quarters for Judges;

(b) if so, Government's response thereto and reasons for the delay; and

(c) by when the financial assistance will be provided to the Maharashtra Government for the development of infrastructural facilities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. VENKATAPATHY): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Government of Maharashtra has submitted its proposal for a 10 Years Perspective Plan for the development of infrastructure facilities like construction of court buildings and residential quarters for judicial officers and the same along with proposals received from other States is under examination. The matter of release of central